

GENERAL BOOTH  
PASSES AWAYSalvation Army Commander Dies  
Near London.

UNDERWENT AN OPERATION

Three Months Ago General Booth Had a Cataract Taken From His Left Eye. Septic Poisoning Set In and From That Time the Patient's Health Has Steadily Declined.

London, Aug. 21.—Rev. William Booth, general and commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army, passed away. He was born in Nottingham in 1829.

The veteran Salvation Army leader was unconscious for forty-eight hours previous to his death. The medical bulletins had not revealed the seriousness of the general's condition, which for a week past, it is now admitted, was hopeless.

Twelve weeks ago General Booth underwent an operation for the removal of a cataract in his left eye. For two days after the operation indications justified the hope of the general's recovery. Then, however, septic poisoning set in and from that time, with the exception of occasional rallies, the patient's health steadily declined. The general recognized that the end was near and often spoke of his work as being finished.

Son Waits on Dying Man.

Throughout the commander-in-chief's illness his son, Bramwell Booth, chief of staff of the army, and Mrs. Bramwell Booth gave their unremitting attentions to him both night and day.

The aged evangelist died at his residence, The Rockstone, Hadleywood, some eight miles from London, where he had been confined to his bed ever since the operation. Present at the bedside when the end came were Mr. and Mrs. Bramwell Booth and their daughter and son, Adjutant Catherine Booth and Sergeant Bernard Booth; the general's youngest daughter, Commissioner Mrs. Booth-Helbert, and Commissioner Howard, Colonel Kitching and Dr. Wardlaw Milne.

Almost the last words of General Booth were uttered just before he lost consciousness. He was referring to God's promises and, speaking with great difficulty, said:

"They are sure—they are sure—if you will only believe!"

Much Interest in Successor.

Public interest now centers in the question of a successor to the late commander. Under the constitution of the Salvation Army the general nominates his own successor. That General Booth died several years ago, placing the name in a sealed envelope which was deposited with the Salvation Army's lawyers with instructions that it should not be opened until after his death.

While nobody knows what name the envelope encloses the general belief among the Salvation Army is that it will prove to be that of Bramwell Booth, who for thirty years has been his chief of staff. The announcement probably will be made in a day or two.

Where General Booth will be buried has not yet been decided. While every English member of the Salvation Army is convinced that no man was more worthy of interment in Westminster Abbey it is not expected that this honor will be awarded to General Booth by the abbey authorities. It is the general belief that the commander-in-chief's last resting place will be alongside that of his wife, who twenty-one years ago was buried in Abney Park, Stoke Newington.

## NOTIFY GOVERNOR MARSHALL

Prominent Democrats Attend Ceremonies at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Aug. 21.—Governor Thomas R. Marshall was notified of his nomination as vice president on the Democratic ticket. The Indiana executive replied in a brief speech, accepting the nomination and pledging himself to the Baltimore platform.

Prominent Democrats from every part of the country attended the ceremonies, which were held on a platform erected in front of the Indiana Democratic club, opposite University square.

Thomas Taggart, Indiana member of the Democratic national committee, introduced Judge Alton B. Parker, chairman of the notification committee, who made the notification speech.

## DIES FROM MOSQUITO BITES

Aged Man Succumbs as the Result of Stings.

Milwaukee, Aug. 21.—The wet summer has caused the mosquito pest to become a thing of terror in many parts of the state. In Appleton, where a church college flourishes, the young theologians compare the pest to the plagues of Egypt, as told in the days of Moses, and the churches are holding special prayer services to ask heaven to rid them of the flies.

At Grand Rapids Fred Gliese, eighty-two years old, was found to have been so badly mosquito bitten that he could not see to find his way home and died an hour after being found as a result of the bites of the hordes of insects there.

EVA BOOTH.

Suffers Nervous Breakdown on  
Hearing of Her Father's Death.

## HIS DAUGHTER COLLAPSES

Evangeline Booth May Not Be Able to Attend Father's Funeral.

New York, Aug. 21.—Although Miss Evangeline Booth, who is head of the Salvation Army in America, had thought herself prepared for her father's death, having known of his sinking condition, she suffered a complete nervous breakdown when the news came. She has not been in good health since a nervous collapse last spring. Her condition was such that it was said at headquarters that it could not be determined at once whether Miss Booth would go to London to her father's funeral.

GOVERNOR ISSUES  
CONSERVATION CALL

Second Congress to Be Held in Minneapolis Nov. 19.

Minneapolis, Aug. 21.—The proclamation by Governor Eberhart to the citizens of Minnesota, setting forth his reasons for calling together delegates to the second Minnesota Conservation and Development congress, Nov. 19 to 22, was made public following a meeting of the conservation commission at the Minneapolis club. The proclamation follows in part:

"Agricultural wealth and extensive natural resources are not Minnesota's greatest assets, nor do they distinguish this state except as to its pre-eminence rank, among the states of the Union. Every landmark in our territorial and state history has been made significant by the sturdy achievements of its citizenship, and current as well as past progress points inevitably to the men of Minnesota and to the women who have had their part as well, as the state's greatest asset. To these, a favored location, of fertile soil and boundless resources, have been but materials to be worked in the mighty structure of a sound, progressive and powerful commonwealth. It is to men, rather than to material things, that Minnesota has looked for every advance step and it is to the sound and constructive judgment of its citizens that it owes its rapid advancement in achievements and prosperity.

"Acting, therefore, upon the suggestion and invitation of strong commercial bodies in this state, and in the conviction that the best prosperity is that brought about by the adoption of harmonious programs of legislation and action, and having in mind the degree in which current welfare of the state may be served by such a conference, I hereby proclaim the holding of the second Minnesota Conservation and Agricultural Development congress, in the city of Minneapolis, on Nov. 19, 20, 21 and 22, 1912."

## HOUSE VOTES FOR ONE SHIP

Accepts Navy Appropriation Measure Carrying \$123,220,707.

Washington, Aug. 21.—By a vote of 151 to 59 the house adopted the conference report on the naval appropriation bill. The measure, which will now go to the president, provides for one battleship and a number of submarines, colliers and auxiliary vessels. Thirteen members opposed to the battleship program voted "present."

The bill, as it goes to the president, carries \$123,220,707, an increase of approximately \$4,600,000 over the measure as it originally passed the house.

Secretary Meyer already has named the projected new marine monster the Pennsylvania.

The new ship will be 630 feet long, of about 31,000 tons, with twelve 14-inch guns and exceptionally heavy armor.

Declares Against Divorces.

Louisville, Aug. 21.—Limited divorce was frowned upon by the American Federation of Catholic societies, in session here, adopted a resolution setting forth that the delegates "unflinchingly hold to the uncompromising attitude of the Catholic church in opposition to divorce on whatever grounds."

Pirates Loot and Murder.

Hongkong, Aug. 21.—Chinese pirates landed on British territory near here, shot a sergeant and a Hindu, cracked a safe and stole \$1,000, seized a lot of arms and ammunition and escaped.

"PORK BARREL"  
GROWS LARGER

Rivers and Harbors Appropriations on the Increase.

DOUBLED IN DOZEN YEARS.

Scientific National Plan For Such Improvements Advocated—Are Private Letters Opened by Postal Officials? Senate Becomes a School of Journalism.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Aug. 21.—[Special.]—A rather astonishing circular has been issued by the rivers and harbors congress, an organization devoted to obtaining appropriations for rivers and harbors in the United States. This circular shows that the appropriations for rivers and harbors for the past six years have been \$115,137,123 more than for the previous seven years. The total for the six years has been \$219,171,257, which shows that it has been a good period for rivers and harbors.

Statistics are not presented to show how much the commerce of the country has increased in those years, but it would have to be something enormous to keep pace with the rivers and harbors appropriations. The improvement of rivers and harbors is for the sole purpose of promoting commerce by water navigation.

It is a well known fact that water navigation is the best regulator of freight rates, but it may be asked whether the large expenditures are bringing adequate returns. These expenditures ought to give an impetus to Senator Newland's proposition to have the improvements upon a scientific plan which will accomplish definite results.

Mail Espionage.

Senator La Follette rather startled the senate the other day when he said that his mail was rifled and read by people in the postoffice department somewhere in order to ascertain what was in his correspondence. Such charges have not been publicly made often, but several prominent men have told me that their mail was opened and read.

One senator said that a friend in the service told him his mail was being opened, and the man was in a position to know. Of course such an act is punishable, but who can convict any one of doing it? The evidence could not be found.

Learned About Journalism.

When the Barnhart amendment, providing for the publication of the names of all responsible men connected with a newspaper, was under consideration in the senate several senators learned something about journalism that they did not know before.

For instance, they found that one editor was responsible for the editorial page and another was responsible for the other part of the paper, but that half a dozen editors were employed on every large paper who were in nowise responsible for what appeared in it. Senators Hitchcock and Oliver were the chief instructors, as they own and manage newspapers.

Williams and Shackelford.

No man in the senate denounced more severely the Shackelford road proposition in the postoffice bill than Senator Williams of Mississippi. By a few it was recalled that there might have been satisfaction in it for Williams, for when he was minority leader of the house he took Shackelford off the interstate and foreign commerce committee, for which Shackelford denounced him in round set terms.

"Dirt road statesmen" in the house determined to stand by their amendment, which Shackelford drafted and which made him and several other country statesmen famous.

Called Down Bourne.

Senator Bourne, chairman of the postoffice committee, told the senate the day the postoffice bill passed that he favored an amendment, but reserved the right to vote against it in conference if he found it was impracticable. Immediately Senator Martin of Virginia "called him down," saying that he had no right to do any such thing; that it was his duty to stand by the senate amendment when it was once made.

Bourne excused himself by saying that he was new at the business and supposed that he was simply telling the senate what he thought it should know. "The only criticism which the Oregon senator deserves," remarked Senator Borah, "is his frankness. He should have been more diplomatic." The fact is that many men in charge of appropriation bills take on all kinds of amendments, intending to lose them in conference. Bourne was too frank, as Borah said, but he scarcely merited a public rebuke.

Mrs. Schley Cuts \$100.

After much pulling and hauling the two houses of congress finally agreed to give Mrs. Schley, the widow of Winfield Scott Schley, the admiral who was at Santiago, \$100 per month pension. As a general thing there has been great opposition to pensions of more than \$50 for either officers or their widows. Senator Rayner of Maryland is responsible for the pension for Mrs. Schley.

Blamed the Fairies.

In olden times fairies were said to cause cattle plague, and animals infected were said to be "elf shot."

THOMAS B. GLINNAN.

Detroit Alderman Has a  
Hearing on Graft Charges.

## TELLS HOW HE LAID TRAP

Detective Testifies in Detroit Bribery Case.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 21.—The testimony of W. J. Brennan, a Burns operative, was the feature of the police court examination of Honest Tom Glinnan, the first of the eighteen aldermen, recently arrested on bribery charges, to be tried in court. It was Brennan's evidence that resulted in the arrests of the eighteen aldermen and Common Council Clerk Edward Schreier, the latter having since made a complete confession.

Brennan went into all the details of the trapping of the aldermen up to the time he alleges that he, representing himself to be an official of the Wabash railroad, paid Glinnan \$1,000 for his influence in granting the railroad's request for the use of the city streets for building purposes.

GRAND JURY INDICTS  
SEVEN FOR MURDER

Two Men Furnish More Evidence in New York Crime.

New York, Aug. 21.—On evidence unexpectedly strengthened by the testimony of Sam Schepps and Jack Zelig, the East Side gang leader, the grand jury reindicted Police Lieutenant Charles Becker for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, and handed also the expected indictments against six of his alleged tools, the four gun men accused of actually doing the murder and two who are alleged to have taken part in the plot. They are Gyp the Blood and Lefty Louie, who are still at large; Dago Frank Cirofici and Whitey Lewis, now in the Tombs; Jack Sullivan, who is alleged to have given the murder signal, and William Shapiro, driver of the murder car.

Sam Schepps, who was before the jury two hours, did even more toward implicating Becker in the murder plot than had been anticipated by District Attorney Whitman, who expected no more than a corroboration of the story told by Jack Rose.

Jack Zelig also supported Rose's story. It was learned. Zelig told of happenings before the murder tending to show the alleged determination of Becker to get rid of Rosenthal, and Schepps related events after the murder, which pointed back to the police officer's alleged preparation to carry out his determination.

More of Becker's bank deposits came to light. On April 24 Becker deposited \$2,000 in the Bank for Savings and on April 25 his wife deposited \$2,000 in the Franklin Savings bank, bringing the total of the police officer's deposits to the neighborhood of \$90,000.

## SAYS HE KILLED WRONG MAN

Would Be Kidnapper Meant to Slay Whole Family.

Belle Plaine, Kan., Aug. 21.—"I am not a bit sorry about whatever I did to the Mannhans. I intended to kill all of them. I didn't want to kill Thompson and I am sorry I did. I didn't expect to find so many there."

Sam Wood, the young Belle Plaine farmer who shot James Thompson, a farmhand, to death and beat Matt Mannahan, a wealthy farmer, so severely that he may die and then shot himself when he saw escape was impossible, made this statement as he was placed on a train to be taken to Wellington, Kan., to a hospital. Wood will die.

Wood's grudge against the Mannhans, which he expected to even up by kidnapping Miss Ethel, the twenty-two-year-old daughter, is based on a sale of a farm through which Wood lost some grain.

Arkansas Negro Lynched.

Fort Smith, Ark., Aug. 21.—Monroe Franklin, a negro, charged with having criminally assaulted a white woman, was taken from jail at Russellville, Ark., and hanged to a telephone pole.

REBELS MURDER  
430 PRISONERS

VICTIMS OF STRANGE MALADY

Three Hundred Horses Dead in Ness County, Kan.

Kansas City, Aug. 21.—Three hundred horses belonging to farmers of Ness county, Kan., have died during the last week from a malady that is puzzling veterinarians.

Local experts who have been called in declare the horses have contracted a form of mold from eating grass that sprang up following recent heavy rains. The mold, if that is what it is, causes paralysis of the throat muscles and congestion of the brain.

WOMEN TO SEND DELEGATES

Accept Invitation of North Dakota Progressive Committee.

Fargo, N. D., Aug. 21.—As a result of the announcement by the Progressive national committee, A. Y. More, that active co-operation in third party campaign plans is expected from the North Dakota Votes for Women league and the federated clubs of the state suffrage leaders in Fargo met and adopted resolutions authorizing the appointment by the president of the club of two women representatives who will attend the Progressive state convention at Fargo Sept. 6. Mr. More addressed the meeting and outlined the campaign plans and suffrage clause.

Deaths Traced to Ptomaine.

Rocky Ford, Colo., Aug. 21.—After an analysis of the stomach of Rev. Gustav A. Latzke, his wife and two children, all of whom died suddenly, State Chemist Ekely said that their deaths were due to ptomaine poisoning.

Toadstools Fatal to Two.

Port Huron, Mich., Aug. 21.—Ellison Frenontborough and his little daughter Julia died here, the result of eating toadstools. Mrs. Frenontborough and an infant are critically ill. The toadstools which the family believed were mushrooms were eaten Saturday.

Good Anywhere.

Cheerfulness is the most common life saver the world has.—Florida Times-Union.

## RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

American Association.

Columbus 10, St. Paul 5.  
Milwaukee 2, Louisville 0, 0.  
Minneapolis 4, Toledo 3.  
Standing of the Clubs—Minneapolis .639; Columbus .634; Toledo .601; Kansas City .489; Milwaukee .484; St. Paul .452; Louisville .367; Indianapolis .341.

National League.

New York 5, St. Louis 1.  
Chicago 6, 13; Philadelphia 1, 3.  
Pittsburgh 3, 1, Brooklyn 2, 9.  
Cincinnati 4, 1, Boston 0, 4.  
Standing of the Clubs—New York .713; Chicago .658; Pittsburgh .606; Philadelphia .482; Cincinnati .469; St. Louis .442; Brooklyn .357; Boston .282.

American League.

Chicago, 6, 3, Philadelphia 1, 2.  
Washington 4, 2, Cleveland 2, 0.  
New York 3, 2, St. Louis 4, 1.  
Boston 6, Detroit 2.  
Standing of the Clubs—Boston .693; Washington .619; Philadelphia .593; Chicago .504; Detroit .470; Cleveland .447; New York .348; St. Louis .325.

## GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Aug. 21.—Wheat—On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.04½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.03½; to arrive, 96½c; Sept. 93½c; Dec. 93½c. Flax—On track, \$1.87; to arrive, \$1.85; Sept., \$1.82.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Aug. 21.—Cattle—Steers, \$6.00@8.50; cows and heifers, \$3.25@7.00; calves, \$3.00@8.00; feeders, \$3.50@6.25. Hogs—\$8.00@8.25. Sheep—Lambs, \$3.00@6.00; wethers, \$3.50@3.85; ewes, \$1.25@3.35.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—Wheat—Sept., 92½c; Dec., 92½c; May, 96½c. Corn—Sept., 70½c; Dec., 53½c@53¾c; May, 53½c@53¾c. Oats—Sept., 32½c; Dec., 32½c; May, 34½c. Pork—Sept., \$17.92; Jan., \$18.75. Butter—Creameries, 22@24c; dairies, 21@23c. Eggs—16½@19½c. Poultry—Turkeys, 12c; chickens, 13c; springs, 16½c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—Cattle—Beoves, \$5.85@10.50; Texas steers, \$5.00@6.85; Western steers, \$6.25@8.75; stockers and feeders, \$4.25@7.30; cows and heifers, \$2.65@8.15; calves, \$6.50@9.75. Hogs—Light, \$8.10@8.72½; mixed, \$7.85@8.70; heavy, \$7.70@8.60; rough, \$7.70@7.90; pigs, \$5.75@8.20. Sheep—Native, \$3.20@4.25; yearlings, \$4.30@5.25; lambs, \$4.40@7.00.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Aug. 21.—Wheat—Sept., 91½c; Dec., 92½c; May, 96½c. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, 97½c; No. 1 Northern, 96½c; to arrive, 95½c; No. 2 Northern, 96½c; to arrive, 95½c; No. 3 Northern, 91¾c; No. 3 yellow corn, 75@75½c; No. 4 corn, 72@74c; No. 3 white oats, 30@30½c; to arrive, 29½c; No. 3 oats, 27½c; barley, 38@67c; flax, \$1.90; to arrive, \$1.85.

Nicaraguan Soldiers Are Slain After Surrendering.

ONLY SEVENTY REMAIN ALIVE

Insurgents Greatly Outnumbering the

Regulars Make an Attack on Leon and the Garrison is Compelled to Capitulate—Communication Between Managua and Corinto by Wire and Rail Has Been Cut Off.

Managua, Nicaragua, Aug. 21.—Near

ly the entire detachment of 500 Nicaraguan troops, comprising the garrison of the city of Leon, north of Managua, was massacred by a force of insurgents, according to reports which reached the capital.

On Friday news was received by the government that the Liberals at Leon had risen in revolt and General Chamorro dispatched troops to suppress the movement and reinforce the garrison of the city.

The government troops, on reaching Leon, camped on the plaza in the center of the town. The insurgents, who greatly outnumbered the government force, attacked the city Saturday and after a fierce engagement the garrison surrendered.

Instead of holding their captives prisoners of war, after the submission, it is reported that the troops were slaughtered by the rebels. Out of a force of 500 all were killed except seventy.

Following the repulse of the insurgents last Wednesday night, after a four day's battle at Managua in which the American marines and bluejackets from the gunboat Annapolis and from Panama played a prominent part as defenders of the capital, the insurgents retired ostensibly to their headquarters at Masaya, the capital of the department of the same name, lying to the south of Managua.

It was learned by the government on Thursday, however, that the insurgents had sent large quantities of arms and ammunition from Masaya to Leon through the mountain passes and that the rebels were hurriedly concentrating their forces at the northern town. It also became known that General Mena, the deposed secretary of war and leader of the insurrection, whose health has been greatly impaired, had gone to Leon to direct the operations of his men.

Communication between Managua and the outside world by way of Corinto, on the Pacific side of Nicaragua, either by wire or by railroad, has been cut since Friday. The severance of communication was caused by the uprising on that day at Leon.

## MORE TROOPS ARE NEEDED

Additional Americans May Be Landed in Nicaragua.

Washington, Aug. 21.—More American bluejackets and marines, it was made apparent to government officials, probably will be required to be landed on Nicaraguan soil if the safety of American life and property there is to be assured.

For the present Managua, the capital, with the American railroad station, steamboat wharves, legation and the residences of the American customs officials and many others, is considered safe, but American Minister Weitzel, after consultation with Colonel Smedley D. Butler, who is in command of the American marine forces in Managua, has informed this government that he has taken notice of the report that General Zeledon, one of the rebel leaders, has promised his men that they may sack and pillage the capital and he has determined that they shall not be allowed to do so.

## FIVE SERIOUSLY INJURED

Grandstand Collapses During Marshall Notification.

Indianapolis, Aug. 21.—Five persons were seriously injured and forty were bruised and cut in the collapse of a grandstand seating 300 in University place during the formal notification of Governor Marshall of his nomination as Democratic candidate for vice president.

The grandstand had been set up on the asphalt pavement directly back of the speakers' platform. Alton B. Parker of New York was in the midst of his address when the stand swayed and sank slowly to the street and men and women in the seats were piled together among the tangled timbers of the structure.

## OPPOSES JUDICIAL RECALL

Minnesota Bar Association Places Itself on Record.

Minneapolis, Aug. 21.—By a larger vote than that condemning the proposal for recall of judges the Minnesota State Bar association, in session in Minneapolis, voted its disapproval of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's plan for recall of judicial decisions. The association by a vote of 61 to 14 declared against recall of judges and 62 to 8 against recall of judicial decisions. The vote followed a spirited discussion and an effort on the part of some members of the association to prevent official action of the association.



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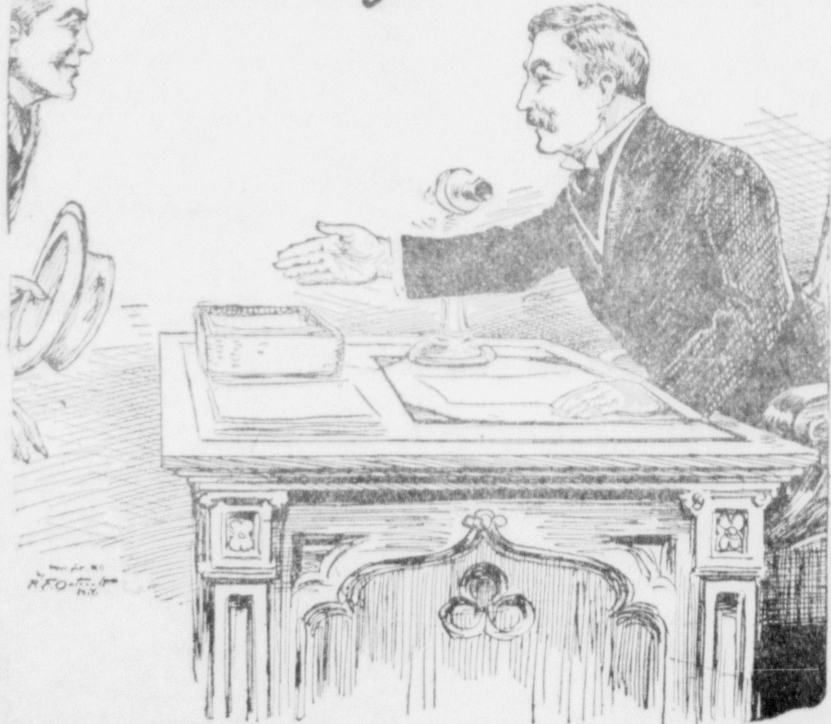
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**Brainerd Weather Bureau**

Temperature taken by Theo. Miller, Cooperative Observer

August 20, Maximum temperature, 74 degrees.

August 21, Minimum temperature, 55 degrees.

**CAN'T STEAL THE PARTY**

The Duluth News-Tribune contains the following comment on the attitude of R. M. LaFollette in the political battle now being waged by the opposing factions:

"Those Roosevelt followers who have hoped for support from Senator LaFollette's friends have heard from the senator. Those followers of LaFollette who have deserted him to climb up with the colonel, now know what he thinks of them and they may find that what they thought was the band wagon was in truth the calloppe.

The Roosevelt forces had no more determined opposition at Chicago than from the friends of the senator; this was then credited largely to the fact that after endorsing Mr. LaFollette's candidacy, Mr. Roosevelt himself entered the race against him.

But there was a better and higher reason than this. LaFollette has always made his fights inside the party. He started over 20 years ago; swallowed defeats, but kept on fighting until he won, just as did Cummins in Iowa.

They had the satisfaction of finally winning complete control in their states as Republicans and committing the party in their states to progressive principals. Since then they have seen state after state join them, until at Chicago their wing of the party could have won with any other candidate than the colonel.

They considered the bolt of the Roosevelters a sheer waste of power already gained; they see in it not progress, but going back, a surrender of the ground won. They and all the other progressive leaders who have formed the real fighting van in the Republican party, have refused to leave it to help build up a personal Roosevelt party.

They carried the brunt of the battle when the colonel was reckoned a regular, when he refused to recognize them and their cause.

This is why Senator LaFollette and other progressive leaders who have worked together in entire harmony, winning one point after another, one state after another, refuse to leave the Republican party to follow the colonel into a party whose

principles are identical with those of the old party and whose policies differ only in form, but not in substance, from those of the progressives.

This is the cause of "Fighting Bob's" recent unpremeditated, spontaneous onslaught in the senate upon the Roosevelt party. He finds no sufficient demand for it; no sufficient issue that was not already won or all but won and nothing it can effect except waste."

**LEGISLATIVE CANDIDATES**

The Little Falls Transcript says regarding legislative candidates:

It is understood that Robert C. Tedford of Ripley will be a candidate for the lower house of the Minnesota legislature. Mr. Tedford was in the city Saturday and gave out the information that he would file for the office. He is a well known Ripley farmer and has been a member of the board of county commissioners.

J. W. Crossfield on Monday filed with the secretary of state his intention to be a candidate for the state house of representatives from this district on the Public Ownership ticket. R. A. Henning, a member of the Brainerd city council, will also be a candidate for the house and Attorney A. W. Uhl of Crosby will file as a candidate for congress from the Sixth district on the Public Ownership ticket.

**LOCAL NEWS NOTES**

M. J. Ries, dry goods, 299 7th St.  
A. O. Allen and family of Wells, Minn., are visiting relatives in the city.

Rent your guns from King for chicken day, September 7. 62tf

A bouncing baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Guith, of Crosby. Mother and child are doing well.

The Yomen will give a dance Friday evening of this week at the Iron Exchange Building, tickets 25c. Art Anderson and crew returned this morning from Pillager where they have just finished plastering the new Swedish Lutheran church.

There is a beautiful line of initial stationery on display in H. P. Dunn's window. 682t

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nelson returned yesterday from Nisswa where they have been visiting at the Hau cottage for a few days.

FOR SALE—Late pocket maps of Crow Wing Co., 25c each. Keene & McFadden, Brainerd, Minn. 615-w1

The seat sale for "The Prince of Tonight" opens Saturday morning, August 31, at ten o'clock at the H. P. Dunn drug store.

Anything which benefits mankind is a treasure to you and me.

What a wondrous blessing to us all is Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.

The Ladies Aid society of the Seventh Street Norwegian Lutheran church meets with Mrs. Peter Peterson on Thursday afternoon.

DR. BRUNS, the eye expert, will be at the Ransford hotel tomorrow and Thursday. Headache caused from eye strain cured with glasses. Examination free. 1t

Galvanized pails 10c at Luken's store. 6613

The ice cream social given last evening by the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church was a great success, there being a large attendance present.

IF you want your eyes fitted with glasses correctly, see Dr. Bruns at the Ransford tomorrow, examination is free.

Miss Ethel Smith, of St. Cloud, is in the city today and will sing at the Nelson-Lydon wedding this evening. Miss Ida Nelson, of Norway Lake, Minn., is also here for the function.

All kinds of shot guns for rent at Ransford Billiard Hall. 64-77

City Engineer C. D. Peacock went to St. Paul early this morning to confer with the engineering department of the Northern Pacific railway at St. Paul in regard to paving problems.

Awards for stores and residences at D. M. Clark & Co. 255tf

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gaylord, Mrs. Ingalls and daughter, Mrs. Harry Nicholson of Crosby were Brainerd visitors yesterday, motoring from Crosby in the Gaylord car.

Don't miss the sensational crockery and glassware clearance sale at Fred Luken's store. 6613

Attention, the new management of the Brainerd Business College offers you the benefit of 20 years experience. Positions guaranteed, all registering this month. Call or write at once, B. B. College, third floor Citizens State Bank, Brainerd. 2t

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for quality. Order a case. Telephone 164. John Coates Liquor Co. 208-4f  
Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Ingersoll and Dr. and Mrs. Howard Ingersoll left this morning for St. Paul and will go from there by boat to McGregor, Iowa, for a week's visit.

Odd lot of dishes at greatly reduced prices at Luken's store. 6613

Alex George, one of the prominent business men and confectioners of Duluth, interested in many business ventures in this city, was in Brainerd several days.

Brainerd Auditorium to rent for dances and public meetings. Apply to J. S. Gardner or Prof. Colvin. 301f

Imported Munchner Kindl Brau on draught at R. J. Holden's, 606 Front Street. 64-t6

The supper given by the ladies of St. Francis Catholic church at the church basement Tuesday evening brought out a large attendance. It is estimated that over 400 people enjoyed the generous meal provided by the ladies of the parish.

Old Pilsner style Brainerd beer. Famous for quality and purity. Delivered to any part of the city. Phone 213. 259tf

Attorney W. H. Crowell came to town in his Overland car this morning and Mr. Crowell says he is here to stay. "Twenty miles from Brainerd was as far as I got from this town and as far as I ever want to get," said Mr. Crowell.

August stock reduction sale, heavy mark downs, at Fred Luken's store.

Nelson Ernest Tuttle, aged 19, by a guardian, Nelson Eaton Tuttle, has commenced suit for \$40,000 damages against the Farmers Handy Wagon company of Michigan and Willard B. Clow for injuries alleged to have been received while working on a silo being erected by the company on Clow's farm at Pequot. It is alleged that Tuttle was thrown

from a defective staging while tightening iron bands and was seriously injured by his 20 foot drop.

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Attorney S. F. Alderman returned today from an extended visit at his old home in Windsor, Conn., where Mr. Alderman went he heard talk about Brainerd, in the New England states and at St. Paul and Minneapolis. "Brainerd certainly looks good to me," said the genial lawyer.

Harry Bottles of this city owns one of the finest robes ever seen. It was made by the Hudson bay Indians from the fur of hundreds of rabbits, all interwoven in such manner as to make a smooth, solid piece of fur, alike on both sides. The consideration for the robe was originally a quart of whiskey, but \$100 would not touch it now. The robe was on display at Stallman's barber shop.

**SMOKE FOR A LIVING.**

French Tobacco Testers and Their Peculiar Line of Work.

In the French ministry of finance there is a class of officials whose activity is little known to the outer world. These men are the official tobacco testers, and they pass judgment on every kind of tobacco manufactured in France.

They consist of a chairman and five assistants, and from morning to evening they have nothing to do but smoke cigars, cigarettes and pipes, in order to arrive at an estimate of the different kinds of tobacco submitted to them.

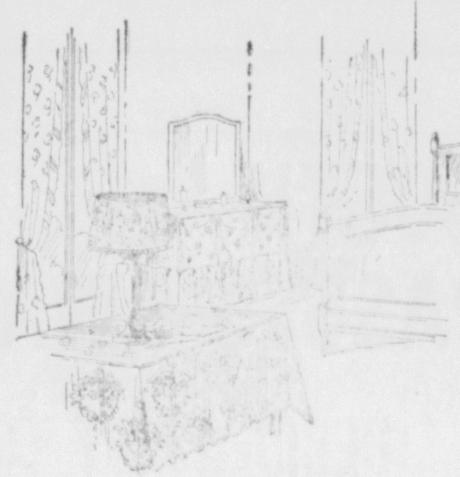
It is not only the products of home industry that come before them for judgment, but the cigars and cigarettes that are sold in France have also to make their appeal to the decision of their palate, and the pleasantest part of the day's work comes when it falls to their lot to test the high price Havana cigars sold by the state.

The officials who undertake this difficult and responsible duty are ex-inspectors of tobacco manufactories who have passed a certain number of years in the state's service and have given proof of their capability for this peculiar kind of work. Their by no means light duty consists in smoking from 9 in the morning to 5 in the evening, and very often it is by no means the best kinds of tobacco with which they have to deal. The injurious influence of this tobacco deluge, which produces great dryness of the mouth and throat and might easily lead to nicotine poisoning, they endeavor to combat by drinking great quantities of black coffee, which acts as an antidote to the effects of the nicotine imbibed. And it is only black coffee that renders it possible for them to distinguish between and estimate the value of the various kinds of strong tobacco.

The danger run by these valiant officials can best be gauged by remembering the highly poisonous character of nicotine as brought out especially by the experience of a Croatian in the Crimean war, who, on finding a snake in a wall, knocked the bowl off his chibouk and plunged the end into its mouth, with the result that it fell dead at his feet as stiff as a piece of iron—Hamburger Nachrichten.

**Harriet Martineau's Cigars.**

Harriet Martineau suffered from deafness. One who knew her writes: "The degree of deafness varied, and she tried all sorts of remedies. Under the advice of some scientific person she tried smoking. I had the privilege of providing her privately with some very mild cigars, and many and many a summer night have we sat together for half an hour or so in her porch at the Knoll smoking. She tried this remedy for only a few months, but she fancied it had a beneficial effect upon her hearing."



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Where Everybody Goes  
TONIGHT

**An Especially Interesting Program****"Fates Awful Jest"**

A story of circus life, in which a revengeful circus employee tries to rob and kill his employer. He meets the fate he designed for his victim.

**"Her Old Sweetheart"**

A Vitagraph comedy featuring Mr. John Bunny, our funny fat friend

**"The Lure of the Footlights"**

A dramatic story of the stage, and of the grasp in which it holds its followers

A Selig feature taken in the Colorado Mountains

**"The Double Cross"**

A tale of an eastern schoolmarm and a western bad man

**Miss B. Irvine**

Pianist

Phenomenal Picture Play Accompanist With Music that fits the Pictures

The EMPRESS is supplied with a "Gold Fiber" curtain, the sheet of pure gold, the curtain that gives a depth, a tone and a perspective to every picture thrown upon it. This curtain positively does not strain or hurt the eyes, no matter how close you are seated to it.

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Double barrel, hammer and hammerless, pump guns and automatics.

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A. J. Freeman, the blind evangelist, and Miss Ester Freeman, who will hold revival meetings at the Swedish Baptist church from August 25 to September 8th.



POSTAL SAVINGS  
BANK A WINNER

Brainerd Postal Savings Bank Celebrates its First Anniversary on August 19th

DEPOSITS NOW ABOUT \$10,000  
Initial Deposits of \$195 Succeeded by 131 Deposits Totalling About \$10,000

In estimating the success or failure of any new proposition, it's the results which are viewed. When the postal savings bank was instituted in the Brainerd postoffice on August 19, 1911 many wise acres shook their heads and said it could not succeed. Some of the banks of the city figured the deposits from such an institution would never amount to much and that it would hardly pay to make application as a depository of the funds. Some citizens reasoned: "There has never been a postal savings bank in Brainerd and therefore what has never been, can never be."

On the opening day a year ago little Lena Rosenlund was the first depositor. Eight other people made small deposits and the total day's money received was \$195. This wasn't a heavy business, but it was a start nevertheless.

The bank is in charge of William A. Spencer and under his courteous management the institution commenced to thrive. People who never put money in a bank of any kind dug up their savings from old shoes, stockings and mattresses and from the clock shelf and out from under the rug in the dining room. All these hiding places transferred their wealth to the postal savings bank.

People of all sorts and kinds went to the postal savings bank. Gradually the deposits increased and the number of patrons in like measure and today, one year after its institution, Brainerd's postal savings bank has 131 depositors and approximately \$10,000 on deposit with Uncle Sam. Is the bank a success? The results tell the story.

The First National bank of Brainerd is the depository of the fund and is well satisfied that it made application to act in such capacity.

BELIEVES IN ADVERTISING

Insurance Commissioner Preuss Tells Lodges They Should Advertise Their Orders

St. Paul, Minn., August 20.—Education of the public through advertising was advocated by Insurance Commissioner J. A. O. Preuss of Minnesota at the session of the Associated Fraternities of America here today.

"Your method of educating the public in the value of your insurance," said Mr. Preuss, "has in the past been through personal contact. But need you confine yourselves to this method?"

"I have never been able to see why lawyers, doctors and other professional men should refuse to advertise and make their practices more remunerative, instead of allowing the profits to go to the quack, the patent medicine man and the ambulance-chaser."

"The greatest educator of the age is the newspaper."

The Associated Fraternities are to pass on the proposed repeal of certain sections of the so-called Mobile law before they adjourn.—Duluth Herald.

Announcement

Henceforth my business will be conducted upon a strictly cash basis. Please do not ask for credit. Oberst's Selz Royal Blue Store. 6516

The Ohio River.

No part of the Ohio river is in Ohio. The boundary of the state being the northern or northwestern margin of the river. The stream itself is wholly in West Virginia and Kentucky, where it flows past Ohio. The northwest territory, out of which Ohio was formed was defined as the territory north and west of the Ohio, not north and west of the middle of that great river.

BUMPER CROPS  
ARE PREDICTED

H. J. Maxfield, Commissioner of Immigration, Receives Reports from Various Counties

CROW WING COUNTY REPORT  
Made by Judge A. R. Holman, of Pequot, Gives Glowing Estimate of Crop Yields

Early in the year H. J. Maxfield, state commissioner of immigration, appointed citizens of every county in the state to report to him on agricultural conditions. His call for reports on crops and their estimated yields has brought responses from 16 counties, including our county of Crow Wing.

Our county's report was made by Judge A. R. Holman, of Pequot, and the judge's predictions show that Crow Wing county will not take a back seat for any of them. Crow Wing county makes every bit as good a showing in the crop line as any other district blessed with good soil and proper climatic conditions.

Judge Holman gives as his estimate of yields of small grains: barley 40, rye 30, oats 40 to 75, wheat 25 to 35 bushels to the acre. If the frost holds off until September 10, the corn will be as good as last year. Potatoes are good and will yield from 100 to 250 bushels per acre.

JUDGE McCLENAHAN FILES

Judge of District Court Files for Renomination and Re-Election on Non-Partisan Ticket

Judge W. S. McClenahan of this city has filed for renomination and re-election on the non-partisan ticket in the 15th judicial district.

Judge McClenahan is the senior judge of this district, and is widely known throughout the state and northwest. He is recommended by the prominent members of the bar of St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth as being one of the leading judges of the state. He has passed on many important questions, settling new precedents, and being sustained by the supreme court of the state. Many times he has been requested to become a candidate for judge of the state supreme court, but has always declined because the work in the district court was more congenial to his taste.

Lawyers like to take their cases before Judge McClenahan, for his clear conception of the law and his application of its principles is acknowledged by all. His instructions to juries are always concise and couched in plain language, models of brevity and clearness, easily understood by the ordinary layman.

Cases involving millions of dollars have been heard by the judge. Such was the case regarding water power rights at International Falls. Of like importance was the case of Stitt & Howe vs. Portage Lumber company and innumerable other cases.

Judge McClenahan was born in Baltimore, Md., June 19, 1854; was graduated (A. B.) from Dickinson college, Carlisle, Pa., 1875 and from the law department of the University of Maryland (L. L. B.) in 1880; practiced law in Baltimore until October, 1882, when he came to Brainerd, where he has resided and practiced law ever since.

He held the office of city attorney of Brainerd from March 1888 to November 1890. In that year he was elected to the district court bench and re-elected in 1906.

In 1907 the case of the State Board of Law Examiners vs. Hart was heard before a special Supreme Court, appointed by the governor, and Judge McClenahan was one of the five district judges selected.

As rheumatism is due to an excess of uric acid in the system, the only sensible, rational treatment is one that removes this poison. That's Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does. That's why it cures for good.

Express Brought Some New Street Hats

We are showing some natty street hats for Women and Children. They have every style effect you will desire and they are reasonably priced.

All summer hats are still being offered at a small portion of their value.

"MICHAEL'S"

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PUBLIC SALE OF  
GOVERNMENT LANDS

Indian Lands in Wyoming, Utah and Montana Will be Sold at Public Auction

1,500,000 ACRES TO BE SOLD  
Purchasers May Not Buy More Than 640 Acres in Each of the Reservations

1,500,000 acres of government lands are to be offered for sale at public auction by Uncle Sam in September and October this year.

The Indian lands to be disposed of include 775,000 acres of Shoshone or Windy River lands to be sold for cash at not less than \$1.50 per acre, beginning at Lander, Wyoming, on September 19.

About 280,000 acres in the northern part of the former Utah reservation for cash at not less than fifty cents per acre, beginning at Provo, Utah, on October 8 and

About 350,000 acres of Crow lands, beginning at Billings, Montana, October at not less than \$1.50 per acre, one-fifth payable in cash and the remainder in four equal annual installments.

Any purchaser may buy not more than 640 acres in each of these reservations by bidding either in person or through an agent. Further information may be gained from James W. Witten, superintendent of sales, Washington, D. C.

TO HEAD CROSBY SCHOOLS



CONRAD RAPS

Through the courtesy of the Montreal River Miner of Hurley, Wis., the Dispatch is enabled to print the picture of Conrad Raps, the new superintendent of schools of Crosby. Mr. Raps is a graduate of the Parker high school, Clarence, N. Y., and received his B. A. degree from the University of Michigan in 1909. He is said to be an excellent teacher and a good disciplinarian. In three years he raised the Iron Belt, Wis., school from a state graded school to a four-year high school.

Mrs. Darrell, pianist, for a few days only. Located at 620 1/2 Front street, over Empress theatre. Call today. Office hours 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. 60-1mo

A South Sea Eden.

The Friendly Islands of the south sea are described as an earthly Eden. The natives have nothing to do but catch fish, gather fruit, sing songs and grow fat. The women are very beautiful, but a little heavy, weighing between 250 and 400 pounds. When a white man goes there to live he has to deposit \$50 with the government. If he lives a decent life this money is returned to him at the end of two years. If he makes trouble the money is confiscated and he is deported.—Chicago Journal.

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BUSH GOES TO  
CONNIE MACK

The Philadelphia Athletics Gets Leslie Bush, the Brainerd and Missoula Speed King

HE WILL MAKE GOOD HIGHER UP  
Reports to Philadelphia as Soon as Season with Missoula, Mont., is Closed

Connie Mack, of the Philadelphia Athletics, has secured Leslie Bush from Blankenship of the Missoula, Mont., team. The Brainerd boy goes to the national team and there's no one in Missoula or the Union association league, Brainerd or Minnesota who doubts that the lad will not make a success.

That Bush gets this advancement is confirmed by a telegram which D. A. Peterson, business manager of the Brainerd baseball team, received from Bush when he asked the latter to pitch for Brainerd in two games in which an all star Brainerd team was to compete with the Duluth White Sox pennant winners. Bush wired: "Cannot play for you because I have to report to Connie Mack as soon as the season is over."

On the Philadelphia Athletics there will soon be two Brainerd pitchers. The noted Bender, the Chippewa Indian who was born and raised in Brainerd, the man who piloted the Athletics through last year's championship series, will later be joined by Bush. The Brainerd boy will put Brainerd on the national baseball map because he does not forget the town where he was born and raised. The folks at home will watch the bulletin board and buy the extras whenever Connie Mack trots out Bush to pitch in the pinches and the kid who saved the Highlanders on innumerable occasions will do the same for the Athletics.

At the Grand

Large audiences witnessed the new bill shown at the Grand last night and were highly pleased with the offerings provided by the manager, Paul Perkins. "For Valor" is a war picture alive with intensely dramatic situations and gives free play to the antithetical emotions of love and hate, heroism and cowardice. The scenery and the number of men involved in portraying the pictures, make the films a feature on the bill.

"Martha's Rebellion" and "The Legacy of Happiness" are also interesting. Miss Margaret Thompson sings the illustrated song, "You Can Bet Your Life I Would," and the spotlight song, "Under the Moon Light." Both are pretty songs well sung and catch the favor of the audiences.

Communication

Dear Sir:  
I noticed in yesterday's Dispatch a piece in regard to the Groves-Welch controversy. Being one of the arbitrators I would like to say that a clerical error on the part of Mr. Ezra Smith and which was explained to Dr. Groves, has caused all the trouble. The arbitration board to a man was in favor of according damages to the plaintiff and as the meaning of the verdict was explained to the doctor there is no reason why he should not accept the findings of the arbitrators and without question the plaintiff will get the doctor's check for the award as soon as the genial doctor has his little fun out of the matter.

Yours Truly,  
L. U. WHITE

Surprised Himself.

A man of the name of McDonnell was being taken home by a friend, Patterson, in a wheelbarrow one night, and as they were trudging along Patterson tried to offer his friend this good advice: "There is no use in your trying to drink up all the whiskey in the world." McDonnell said nothing, but reflected some time, and finally, noticing that they were passing a well lighted distillery, he said, "Well, Patterson, I never thought I would start them working nights."—Chicago Tribune.

Assembly dance will open Monday Sept. 2nd at Brainerd auditorium, and will be held every Monday and Friday commencing with that date. Graham's orchestra Mondays and the Blue Ribbon orchestra Fridays. Lessons every Monday and Friday afternoon and evening up to 9 o'clock by Prof. Colvin. 1mo

CHICKEN SEASON  
OPENS SEPT. 7

Snipe, Prairie Chickens, Woodcock, Wild Ducks and Geese, Etc., May be Shot Then

HUNTERS ARE OILING UP GUNS  
Buying Ammunition Now—Pete Cardel to Start Out with 25 Shells September 7

Guns are being taken from their cases and the hunters of Brainerd and Crow Wing county are oiling up ready for the opening of the hunting season which occurs on Saturday, September 7.

On September 7 the season will open for wild duck, wild geese, and all other aquatic fowl. At the same time the season for turtle dove, snipe, prairie chicken, plumed and white-breasted or sharp-tailed grouse, woodcock, upland golden plover opens.

Not till October 1 does the season for shooting quail, partridge, ruffed grouse and pheasant start. The duck season closes December 1. The moose and deer season will open November 10 for twenty days.

Hunters and farmers, forest rangers and cruisers say there is plenty of game. The fields are full of chickens and every hunter is assured of a bird. They were never so plentiful before and never so plump and fat. It has been an iron test on many a man's nerves to go through the fields and see a covey rise up with a whang and whirr. It made his mouth water to see the fat birds which two weeks separate him from eating.

Ammunition is being bought up in Brainerd and Gene Stallman has 200 shells on the large shelf of the barber shop. Pete Cardel will not start out with a plethora of ammunition: "I'm going shooting the first day with 25 shells and those 25 are good for 24 birds. No shooting holes in the air goes with me. Every one of my shots counts."

A story is related of one of the prominent business men of the city who bought four hunting dogs preparatory to the game season. One of his friends examined the outfit and traced up a long lost pup lost for over a year. One man identified he left eyelash which had been torn by shot and a V shaped wound in the left hind leg of the animal. He got the dog and the business man was disgusted with the turn in events.

Dogs are dogs these days and anything which can find chickens is in demand. The owner of a bull dog even had an offer for his dog whose specialty is cats and not chickens.

At the Empress

The picture play accompanist, Miss B. Irvine, is playing the piano at the Empress theater and her rendition is so sympathetic as to fit in with the pictures and make a harmonious entity of motion photography and music, thus delighting the eye and ear. The "Gold Fiber" curtain newly installed by the Empress brings the pictures out in bold relief.

The pictures shown include diverse subjects such as "Fate's Awful Jest," a story of circus life; "Her Old Sweetheart" showing the intimate comedian John Bunny; "The Lure of the Footlights" a story of the stage; and the "Double Cross" where east and west meet as Greek to Greek. Grace K. Carleton sings the illustrated and spotlight songs.

DON'T MISTAKE THE CAUSE

Many Brainerd People Have Kidney Trouble and do not know it  
Do you have backache?  
Are you tired and worn out?  
Feel dizzy, nervous and depressed?  
Are the kidney secretions irregular?  
Highly colored; contain sediment?  
Likely your kidney's are at fault.  
Weak kidneys give warning of distress.

Heed the warning; don't delay—Use a tested kidney remedy.

Anthony Miller, 913 Seventh St., S. Brainerd, Minn., says: "There was much lameness across my kidneys and I also suffered constantly from backache. I tried most every remedy that was brought to my attention but nothing helped me until I used Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at H. P. Dunn's Drug Store. They strengthened my back, removed the lameness and thus made it possible for me to get my proper rest. I know Doan's Kidney Pills to be good for kidney complaint."

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"Martha's Rebellion"

A Vitaphone comedy with JOHN BUNNY at his best

"The Legacy of Happiness"

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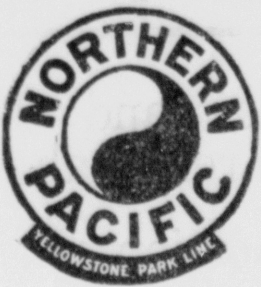
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### MAGIC FIRE WRITING.

How to Perform an Amusing and Mystifying Trick.

This recipe for "magic fire writing" is given by the Pathfinder: Dissolve saltpeter in water until the water will take up no more. Then take the "wrong" end of a penholder and, dipping it in the solution, draw in thick strokes some name or design on a piece of light paper, taking care not to break the continuity of the writing anywhere—that is, all words must be joined. When dry the writing will be invisible. Fold over or roll up half an inch of each end of such a paper after it has been allowed to get dry and stand it on something that will not burn. Light a match, then blow it out and apply the glowing tip to some spot touched by the design (you can make an ink mark before applying the saltpeter to serve as a guide), and a tiny glowworm of fire will travel all along the lines traced and end by leaving the device burned out of the paper, no other part of it being destroyed.

By the use of a little ingenuity all sorts of amusing designs for this purpose can be got up. For example, you can draw in pencil or ink on the paper a picture of one boy throwing a baseball to another and also trace an invisible curved line in the saltpeter from the hand of the thrower to that of the catcher. Then when you touch fire to the thrower's hand the fire will follow the saltpeter line right to the other's hand.

Those who see the thing and are not in the secret will be much mystified as to why the fire follows this line and does not burn the rest of the paper. Saltpeter enters into gunpowder, and wherever it has touched the paper it makes it burn.

### Calumny.

Calumny is the worst of evils. In it there are two who commit injustice and one who is injured.—Herodotus.

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The idea that nothing is so disgraceful as cowardice is one that is not held by all races. Among the Bedouins a sheik may be the leader of his tribe only in peace. When there is war the chances are that he will relinquish his leadership to the fighting sheik.

"I have not the gift of courage," once said an Arab chief to an Englishman, apologizing for not putting himself at the head of a band that he had sent to attack another tribe.

The Englishman learned that these nomads esteem personal bravery as a gift, for the want of which a man is no more to be censured than he is to be blamed for not being handsome.

A Bengali says, without the least sense of shame, "I am timid." Yet he will meet death, even when it approaches in the form of the hangman, with the composure of a martyr.

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The man wished for some sweetmeats with which to refresh himself on his way to the gallows. They were ordered, and on their arrival the procession set out.

The doomed man ate the sweetmeats with a relish as he calmly walked along the way of death. When the gallows was reached the crowd which had followed seated themselves on the ground. The man waited a few seconds to finish the last morsel, then mounted the gallows with composure and was swung off.

Strange as it may seem, that man would have been panic stricken at the rush of some wild rumor. His timidity was natural, but his religion and discipline had trained him to accept with calmness the inevitable.—Detroit Free Press.

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Torrens No. 121. State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, ss. District Court, Fifteenth Judicial District. In the matter of the application of Reed Investment Company to register the title to the following described real estate situated in Crow Wing County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The East half of the Southeast quarter of Section No. Twenty-eight and the Northeast quarter of the North quarter of Section No. Thirty-three of Township No. Forty-seven North of Range No. Twenty-eight West of the Fourth Principal Meridian.

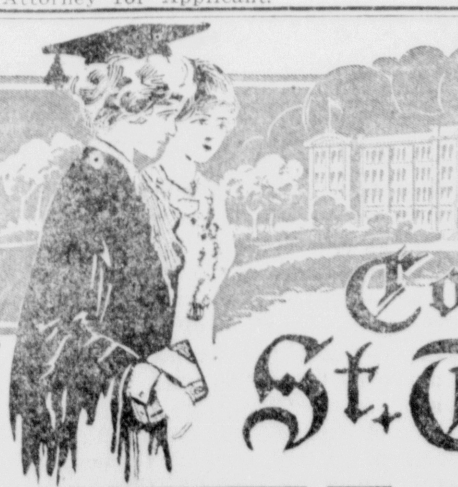
Reed Investment Company, Applicant.

vs. Tom Trays, Cuyuna Iron Range Railway Company, Minneapolis, St. Paul & Salt Lake Railway Company and all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the application herein.

The State of Minnesota to the above named defendants: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the application of the applicant in the above entitled proceeding, and to file your answer to the said application in the office of the clerk of said court, in said county, within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said application within the time aforesaid, the applicant in this proceeding will apply to the court for the relief demanded therein.

Witness W. A. M. Johnston, Clerk of said court, and the seal thereof, at Brainerd in said county, this 26th day of July A. D. 1912.

W. A. M. JOHNSTON, Clerk. (Seal of District Court, Crow Wing County, Minn.) S. F. WHITE, Attorney for Applicant.



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